THE

SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freſheſt Advices, Foreign and Domeſtick.

MONDAY, February 6th, 1744. [Numb. 515.]

LONDON, *October* 13.

WE learn by private Letters from Vienna, that on the 2d of October, N.S. Count Frederick de Harrach, accompanied by his Britannic Majeſty's Miniſter, went in Ceremony to wait on the Empreſs Dowager, to demand the Arch-dutcheſs Mary-Anne for His Royal Highneſs Prince Charles of Lorrain.

His Royal Swediſh Highneſs the Duke of Holſtein Eutin, landed at Carelſcroon on the 6th of October, N. S and was receiv'd with utmoſt Demonſtrations of Loyalty and Affection.

We hear great Numbers of the Nobility and Gentry daily flock to Carliſle-Houſe in Lambeth-Marſh, to ſee THE FLYING WARLIKE MACHINE, ſo ſurprizingly contrived as to fly (ſwifter than any Horſe can run) with upwards of a Hundred Guns, Granadoes, and Spears in proportion, and with ſo ſtrong a Velocity as not to be withſtood or obſtructed by the moſt compact * Phalanx. It's thought the Inventor will be greatly rewarded.

Private Letters from Hamburgh of the 15th Inſtant, *N. S.* inform us, that a French Marquis arrived there that Morning from Berlin, and was immediately arreſted at the Inſtance of the Pruſſian Miniſter, which occaſions many Speculations.

Yeſterday came Advice that his Majeſty's Ships the Prince Frederick, Leopard, and Jerſey, ſail'd laſt Tueſday from Spithead, for the Canaries; and at the ſame Time ſail'd from thence his Majeſty's Ship the Superb, on board of which was Commodore Knowles, and the Comet Bomb, but whither bound is not at preſent known.

The Lords of the Admiralty have ordered two ſixth rate Men of War, two Sloops, and a Xabeque, to cruize in the Out of Gibraltar.

October 15. Peter Meſtanes, a Peaſant, died lately at the Village of Veniel in the Kingdom of Murcia, aged 130: He lived a Batchelor, never taſted Wine, work'd hard, and bathed every Morning in the River Segura from the Beginning of Spring 'till ſuch Time as it froze: His Teeth were all ſound, and never had been attack'd by any acute Diſtemper.

Private Letters from Bruſſels ſay, that the French are repairing the Rysbank at Dunkirk, and that Men of War of the Line may ſoon enter that Harbour as before the Demolition: The Inhabitants are actually fitting out eight Privateers of 20 Guns each, to cruize on our Trade.

Commodore Knowles (as the Dutch Gazettes ſay) is to command a ſmall Squadron of Privateers, which are to go in Queſt of the Aquapulco Ship laden this Year with 14,000,000 Pieces of Eight.

From Vienna we learn, that from Conſtantinople the Auſtrian Miniſter writes, that Kouli Kan has totally defeated the Turkiſh Army, and conquer'd all the Country between Tigris and the Euphrates.

October 18. They write from Madrid, That they are daily in greater and greater Apprehenſions on account of the Plague, which undoubtedly makes vaſt Ravages at Ceuta, where no leſs than 700 Perſons died in a Week. All imaginable Precautions were uſed to prevent its croſſing to the oppoſite Coaſts of Spain; and it was even talk'd as if the Court would, upon this Account, recall all its Privateers.

On Friday the Lords of the Admiralty appointed Capt. Legg to be Commander of the Medway Man of War, of Sixty Guns.

Capt. Murray Commander of the Hampſhire Man of War, of Fifty Guns.

Capt. Lake Commander of the Hector Man of War, of Forty Guns.

And likewiſe appointed Capt. Catford Commander of the Lyme Man of War, of Twenty Guns.

October 20. The Haſtings Man of War, Commanded by the Right Hon. the Lord Bamff, is order'd from Virginia to Antigua, in order to protect the Trade there, by immediate Directions from the Right Honourable the Lords of the Admiralty.

The Preſs for Seamen continues as brisk as ever, in order to man the Fleet of 15 Sail (chiefly large Ships) which are now at Spithead, and intended for ſome ſecret Expedition.

October 22. A private Letter from Germany gives the following Relation, viz. That the Huſſar who took up General Mentzel out of the Ditch when his Leg was broke, and carried him upon his Back through the Enemy's Fire to a Place of Safety, being aſk'd by the General in what Manner he ſhould reward him, the Huſſar anſwer'd, that his Honour had a pretty Girl in his Retinue, which he begged he might have for a Wife: General Mentzel ordered a Prieſt to be immediately ſent for, and had them married in his Preſence.

It is now in general believed that the Schemes of the French & Spaniſh Courts are quite diſconcerted by the Behaviour of the King of Sardinia's Troops; for 'tis certain that their Armies have received a very great Loſs within a few Weeks paſt; and it is aſſured that Prince Lobkowitz will not be idle at this favourable Criſis, but make the beſt Uſe of the Encreaſe of of the Auſtrian Army in that Quarter, eſpecially as Admiral Matthews has given them all the Reaſon in the World to believe nothing ſhall be wanting on his part, to reduce the Court of Spain to find out the Errors they have been blindly led into, by a Court that never yet meant any Thing but to aggrandize herſelf at the Expence of her Neighbours.

October 25. Yeſterday one of his Majeſty's Meſſengers arrived at the Duke of Newcaſtle's Office from Holland, with Diſpatches from her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Louiſa, who landed at Helvoetſluys on Saturday Morning in good Health, and ſet out directly for Hanover.

Private Letters by the French Mail adviſe, that a Party of the Troops of Prince Lobkowitz had ſeiz'd on the Spaniſh grand Magazine, ſaid to be worth 3,000,000 of Dollars.

Letters from Madrid adviſe, that the Intendants of the Marine at Ferrol, Cadiz, and other Ports of the Kingdom, have ſent to Court a Liſt of all the Ships that are fit to be equipp'd for War; and that his Catholick Majeſty has granted Permiſſion to the Inhabitants of St. Malo to trade to the South-Sea, with ſome Ships of 300 Tons each, upon Condition of their paying him 400,000 Pieces of Eight per Annum. This News, relating to the Inhabitants of St. Malo, is confirm'd by Letters from Paris; but they ſay, that the King of Spain has given them Leave to ſend to the South Sea no more than Two Ships every Year.

The ten Privateers that are fitting out by the Merchants to cruize on the Spaniards, are now taking in their Proviſions at Long Reach, in order to put to Sea forthwith; they are to be victualled for Eighteen Months; and, for Encouragement of the Sailors, it is ordered they ſhall not loſe their Wages provided the Ship ſhould have the Misfortune to be caſt away.

The Argyle, Stedman, from Carolina, is arrived at Cowes. —— On the 7th Inſtant, in Lat. 49 about 85 Leagues to the Weſtward of Scilly, ſhe ſaw a Sail, who immediately gave Chace, and when ſhe got within Gun-ſhot, fir'd his Bow-Chaſe at her, under Engliſh Colours; on this Capt. Stedman haul'd up his Courſes,

* PHALANX, is a Military Body of 6000 Foot men, ſet in ſuch Array, that they might encounter their Enemies, Foot to Foot, Man to Man, and Shield to Shield.

ſet, hoiſted his Colours, and fired at her, and when ſhe was pretty nigh gave her a Broadſide, on which ſhe ſhortened ſail, but ſtill kept after the Argyle, who then gave her five Broadſides more, as faſt as he could load and fire, which oblig'd her to ſheer off; but ſhe return'd in an Hour, and renewed the Fire, which laſted very briskly for a ſhort Time, but the Privateer finding ſuch a reſolute Reſiſtance, hawl'd his Wind, and ſtood away from the Argyle. She was a large Barcolonga, and had about 100 Hands on board.——There was on board the Argyle, as Paſſengers, Capt Street, and Capt. Hinning, who both behaved exceeding well; as did all the Officers, and Ship's Company, none of which received any Damage, except the Carpenter, who had one of his Hands blown off in loading one of the Guns.

AMERICA.

Philadelphia, Dec. 29. There is Advice from Jamaica, that the Schooner Indian Queen Open's, which was taken from Capt. Bay of this Place, and made a Privateer of by the Spaniards, had done a great deal of Miſchief about that Iſland, and particularly cut a large ſhip laden with Sugar out of *Bleuefield's* Bay; but that meeting with our Privateer Wilmington, Capt. Sibbald, and, on a Suppoſition ſhe was a Merchant ſhip, attempting to take her, they had ſo warm a Reception, that the ſhip, which had 50 Spaniards on board, ſtruck, having received a ſhot between Wind and Water, which occaſioned her to ſink, and while Capt. Sibbald was endeavouring to ſave her, the Schooner ſheer'd off, being almoſt torn to Pieces, and ſo many of her Men kill'd, that ſhe made no Reſiſtance to the Jamaica Country Sloop which met her the next Morning; but ſtruck immediately, and was carried in.

CHARLES TOWN, *Feb* 6.

On Saturday arrived here, Paſſenger in Capt. *Duffil* from *Briſtol*, the Honourable *RICHARD HILL*, Eſq; one of the Members of his Majeſty's Honourable Council in this Province.

And Yeſterday embark'd on board his Majeſty's Ship *Rye*, for *England*, for the Recovery of his Health, the Honourable *JOHN FENWICKE*, Eſq; another of the Members of His Majeſty's Honourable Council here.

We hear that the ſame Blazing Star, or Comet, which has been ſeen here for ſeven Weeks ſucceſſively in the W.N.W. has likewiſe been ſeen in *New-York*, *Pennſylvania*, and the Places adjacent.

The *Three Siſters*, Capt *Rue*, of and for this Place from *Cowes*, was taken in *Sept.* laſt by a *Spaniſh* Privateer.

CUSTOM HOUSE, CHARLES-TOWN,

Entered Inwards,

Ship Shippen, William Norris, from Lizbon

Snow Grizell, John Stemſon, from Madeira.

Brigantine Mary, Peter Williams, from St. Kitts.

Sloop Carolina, John Schermerhorne, for New York.

Entered Outwards.

Ship Hanover Alliance, John Jones, for Cowes.

Ship Dantzick Merchant, Henry Brown, for Portugal.

Sloop Suſannah, Joſ Wilſon for St. Kitts.

Cleared for Departure.

Ship Muſſey Galley, George Durell, for Cowes.

—— Charming Molly, Thomas Whyte, to London.

—— Samuel, Will. Warden, to Portſmouth.

—— Catherine & Eliz. Peter Webſter, to Cowes.

Sloop Anne, John Watſington, to Jamaica.

—— Poſtilion, Edward Lightwood, to Barbados.

Exported from this Place from Nov. 1, 1743.

Rice, 27,402 Barrels.
Pitch, 1649 Barrels.
Tarr, 286 Barrels.
Turpentine, 70 Barrels
Deer-Skins, 114 Hogſheads.
Indian Corn, 13702 Buſhels.
—— Peaſe, 2702 Buſhels.
Pork, 389 Barrels.
Beef, 281 Barrels.

The PRICES *of the following Goods, of the Produce of the Province.*

New Rice *per Cwt.* 32 *ſh.* 6.
Pitch *per Barrel*, 35 *ſ.*
Tar, 30 *ſ.* 0 *d.*
Turpentine, 10 *ſh.* 0.
Skins *per lb.* 16 *ſh.* 6
Staves, 15 *l. per* 1000.
Corn *per Buſhel*, 10 *ſh.*
Peaſe, 10 *ſ.* 0 *d.*

Of the Produce of Foreign Parts.

Eſopus Flour *per Ct.* 31. 10
Philadelphia Flour, 3 *l.* 0.
Brown Bread 3 *l.* 5 *s.*
Ship ——, 3 *l.* 5 *s.*
Middling ——, 3 *l.* 0 *s.*
White, —, *per Quarter Cask*, 45 *ſh.*
Milk ——, per Quarter Cask, 55 *ſh.*
New-York Beer, 8 *l.* per Barrel.
N-England Rum, *per Hhd.* 15 *ſ.* a *Gallon.*
Barbados Rum *per Hhd.* 20 *ſ.*
Montſerrat —, 17 *ſ.* 6
Antigua —, 17 *ſ.* 6
Melaſſes, 10 *ſh.* 0
Madeira Wine, *per Pipe*, 130 *l.*
Fine Salt *per Buſhel* 7 *s.* 6 *d.*
Coarſe Salt, 10 *ſh.*

Advertiſements.

THIS is to give Notice, That the Subſcriber, having reſigned teaching the Free School in the Pariſh of St. Thomas, intends (in the middle of March next) to remove to his Plantation at Cainhoy, ſituate bluff on Wando River, Twelve Miles from Charles Town, being a very pleaſant healthful Situation, where I intend to continue to keep a boarding ſchool, having built a convenient Manſion houſe, ſchool-houſe, &c. for that Purpoſe. AND whereas it may be objected, that I keep a Store and a Ferry at the ſaid Plantation, and therefore I give this further Notice, that I have other Perſons employed to do thoſe Buſineſs, and that I intend to do no Manner of Buſineſs in School hours, but conſtantly and diligently to attend the ſchool, and doubt not but that I ſhall (as I have for theſe 18 Years paſt) give a general Satisfaction.

Robert How.

TO BE SOLD on Tueſday the 28th of this Inſtant, by the Subſcriber, for the Uſe of his Creditors, at *Aſhley-Ferry* on *Aſhley River*, a choice parcel of Slaves, moſt of them Plantation born, for one Year's Credit, paying Intereſt from the Day of ſale, and giving ſecurity if required, the ſale to begin at 10 o'Clock.

John Cattell.

TO be ſold, a Fifty Acre Lot about one Mile from Dorcheſter, on Aſhley-River, with a very convenient new Dwelling houſe and other Buildings thereon, about 30 *Acres of it very good Paſturage, and under good Fence, the Reſt good Timber Land. Whoever inclines to purchaſe the above Lot, may know the Conditions from* Tho. Smith *on the Bay in* Charleſtown, *or* Geo Somners *on the ſaid Lot.*

TO be ſold, at publick Vendue, on the firſt Day *March* next, at the Plantation of *Thomas Merck*, Eſq; in *St John's* Pariſh, for ready Money or Credit, giving Security if required, one good and very convenient Four wheel'd Chaiſe, with Harneſſes for 4 Horſes, all compleat, alſo 4 good Coach Horſes, ſome neat Cattle, working Oxen, and Plantation Tools &c. by *Thomas Monk.*

TO be ſold, at publick Vendue, on the 29th of *March* next, at *Cainhoy* on *Wando River*, a choice Plantation, containing 500 Acres, upwards of 200 Acres of good Rice Land, with a good parcel of ſawing Timber and a Dwelling houſe on it, about two Miles from a Landing; alſo a choice parcel of Plantation Negroes, Cattle, ſome working Oxen, Cart, &c. by *Iſaac Trezevant.*

STOLEN or ſtray'd from off Charleſtown Green, a white Horſe, branded on the Mounting ſhoulder HZ, or like it, and has the Mark of a large Fiſtulous in his Neck. Whoever brings the ſaid Horſe to me in *Charleſtown*, ſhall have 3 *l* reward of *Richard Mortimer.*

LOST betwixt this and Quarter Houſe, a plain ſilver Buckle, mark'd J * M. Whoever finds the ſame and brings it to the Subſcriber, ſhall have 20 *ſh.* reward.

Mathias Johnſon.

N.B. If offer'd to ſale, pray ſtop it.

THE Progreſs of *Methodiſm* in *Briſtol* or the *Methodiſt unmask'd.* Wherein the Doctrines, Diſcipline, Policy, Diviſions and Succeſſes of that Novel Sect are fully detected, and properly diſplay'd, in *Hudibraſtick* Verſe.

By an impartial Hand.

To which is added, by Way of Appendix, The Paper Controverſy between Mr. *Robert Williams*, ſupported by *Thomas Chriſtie*, Eſq; Recorder of *Savannah*, and the Rev. Mr. *Wesley*, ſupported, only, by his own Integrity and Aſſurance, &c. &c. &c.

ALSO

THE SENEKA-RATTLE-SNAKE-ROOT, ſo famous for its effectually curing of the PLEURISY; and an excellent EYE-WATER, to be ſold by the *Printer* hereof.

TO be sold, at publick Vendue, the first Tuesday in March next, all the personal Estate of Stephen Dowse, deceased, consisting of several Negro Slaves, a small stock of Cattle, Sheep and Horses, Household Goods and plantation Tools, and a parcel of Books, &c. for one Year's Credit with Interest from the Day of sale, and good security if required, by us. All sums under 20 l. to be paid in the spot.

Sarah Dowse.
Hugh Dowse.
Hugh Grange.

N.B. All Persons that have any Demands on the said Estate, are desired to bring in their Accompts, properly attested; And all Persons that are any ways indebted to the said Estate, are desired to discharge the same on or before the first Day of March next, or they'll be sued without further Notice.

Taken up at Ashepoo-Neck, a black Horse, with a small star in his Forehead, branded SI on the mounting shoulder, the Owner proving his Title may have him by applying to

John Hutchinson.

STRAY'D out of my Pasture some Time last Spring, a Bay Horse, about 13 Hands and an half high, branded with R B in an O And a small Grey Horse, branded with two J's facing each other, and with IL he stray'd from my Pasture in Sept. Whoever brings the said Horses to me in Charles-Town, or the Grey to Mrs. Jones at Wampee, and the other to Mr. Isaac Parkdale, shall have 40 sh. rew ard for each and reasonable Charges allowed by Samuel West.

INTENDING to depart the Province in a few Days, I give this Notice, to all Persons indebted to me to pay off their Accompts to Mr. Robert Bigby in Charles Town, on or before the 25th Day of next March, he having a Power to settle with them, and grant Receipts from me John Watson, jun.

TO be sold, at publick Vendue, on the 27th of February, at the Plantation I now live on at Beach Hill, a choice parcel of Negroes, Horses, Cattle, and Household Furniture. Credit will be given 'till the first of January, paying Interest and giving such security as shall be approved of by

George Denning.

N.B. The Sale to begin at 10 o'Clock in the Morning, and all Sums under 20 l. to be ready Money.

TO BE SOLD, one Lot at Beaufort Town, No. 76 Any Person inclinable to purchase the same, may enquire of Martha Logan, who has good House Werches, and handy Negro Boys and Girls to hire. Likewise good Garden Seeds to be sold by Wm Logan at Mr. Stone's on the Bay, which are just imported from London.

TO be sold, by John Colcock, and Company, at their store in Trudd street, very good West India Rum in Hogsheads or Barrels, new Flour, empty Bottles, red herrings in barrels, sheet pipes, bottled Beer, Cyder and Port Wine, cheese, fowling Pieces, and sundry other goods.

THE Plantation of Mr. James Malone in Santee, containing 300 Acres, with a Barn and other Houses, under a good Fence and fit for planting, to be sold or let by

Samuel Eveleigh.
John Colcock.

WHEREAS the Subscriber has received Information of the following stray'd Creatures, a black Bull Ox, with a slit in the right Ear, the Tip of the left cutoff, branded on the left Jaw and Buttock L; also a brown Ox, with the same Mark and Brand. One red Bull Ox, his Horns saw'd mark'd in the left Ear with an under Keel, a Crop, and a Hole slit open, in the right Ear an upper Keel, and a Crop. It is branded on the right Buttock, but not to be made out being black'd.

Any Person claiming either of the aforesaid Creatures, may have them, paying the Charges by Law directed, and proving their Title before John Skene.

JUST IMPORTED, and to be sold by Stead & Evance, broad cloths, ground lead paint, shot, crates of earthen ware, cordage, womens leather shoes, mens boots, cheese, ale and Port wine in bottles.

ALL Persons any ways indebted to Henry and Alexander Peronneau, are desired to take Notice, that they expect they will discharge their Debts by the first of April ensuing, or by that Time settle the same with such Security as will be satisfactory to them, otherwise they will be sued without any further Notice.

This is to give Notice, that the Estate of Malachi Glaze tho' lately advertised in this Gazette, will not be expos'd to sale as was then mentioned

William Glaze.

TO be sold, at publick Vendue, on Thursday the first Day of March next, by David Crawford, at his House at Stono, a choice parcel of Negroes, viz. a Cooper, Two Sawyers, a waiting Boy, all the rest are very good Plantation Slaves, a fine stock of young Cattle, two Teck of Oxen, some riding Horses and Mares, Sheep, Hogs, Plantation tools, and some Household goods, also 400 Acres of Land, joining Mr. Thomas Farr. 60 Acres of which is good Cypress swamp ready clear'd, and dam'd, with great Conveniency of keeping back Water, with a good Overseer's House, Barn and other Out houses. Twelve Months Credit will be given paying Interest from the Day of Sale and giving security if required, The Plantation where he now lives is to be let for two Years, the Plantation is ready fenc'd and in planting Order, with a very good Dwelling house, Garden and other Out houses.

David Crawford.

To be Sold at publick Vendue, to the highest Bidder, on Tuesday the 28th Day of February next, at the Plantation of Joshua Green, deceased, about a Mile of Parker's Ferry, a choice parcel of Negro Slaves, consisting of Men, Women and Children. Credit will be given 'till next January, giving good Security and paying Interest from the Day by

Thomas Elmes.
Samuel Elmes.

ALL Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of George Oliver, lately deceased, are desired to give in their Accompts properly attested by the first of March next; and every one indebted to the said Estate, are required to pay off their respective Debts by that Time, to the Subscriber, that she may be enabled to give Satisfaction to the Creditors of her Husband.

Mary Oliver, Executrix.

TO be run for, on York Course at the old Quarter House on Friday the 23th instant, a fine embroidered Jacket, valued at 50 l. by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, to run twice round the half Mile Course, and the Horse that comes in last shall been entitled to the Jacket, each Man to ride his Adversary's Horse, 9 Horses to start, more or less, making up the Sum of 90 l. John Hanbury.

Notice is hereby given, that the Trustees of Childsbury School, shall be in want of a Master capable of teaching Grammar, Reading, Writing, and Arithmetick Such Person applying to the said Trustees between this and the 1st of March next, shall meet with suitable Encouragement.

Run away from the Subscriber, an Indented Servant, named David Dindle, came lately from Scotland, as may be known by his Speech, he has attended as a Waiter in my House about three Months, and is well known by the Name of Davie; he is a short pale faced Fellow, aged about 30, was cloath'd in a white Frize Coat and red Jacket, and a black Wig, suspected to have taken with him a brass hilted Sword, gilt. Any Person bringing the said Man to me, shall have 5 l. reward, and reasonable Charges from Charles Shepheard.

To be Sold the 16th of February next, at the Plantation of the late Mr. Josiah Baker, at Cow Savannah, all the personal Estate of the said Deceased, consisting of a choice parcel of Slaves, most of them this Country born, a good Stock of Cattle and Horses, and Plantation Tools. Credit will be given 'til the first Day of January next, paying Interest from the Day of Sale, and giving such Security as shall be required by Rebecca Baker, &c

Henry Middleton.

NB. The Sale will begin at 10 o'Clock in the Morning.

Just imported in the Ship Lassey, Capt. Hayden, from London, brown 120 bags, checks, womens callimanco shoes, duck, and sail twine, spices, and fresh pickles of all sorts, silk gauze paviliens ready made, Indian trading guns, bullets and gun-powder, whip and cross cut saws, crawleys, broad hoes, and nails in small casks of all sorts, with sundry other Goods, to be sold at the most reasonable Rates, especially for ready Pay, by ROBERT PRINGLE.

Run away from the Subscriber, about 6 Weeks ago, a tall well made Negro Woman named Dinah, had on when she went away, a blue Negro Cloth Gown, robed with blue Callimanco. Any Person taking up and bringing her to the Work house, shall be rewarded according to Law by Rebekah Flavell.

WHEREAS little Regard has been had to our former Advertisements. We therefore again give this publick Notice, desiring all Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. Edward Hext, deceas'd to discharge their respective Debts on or before the first Day of March next, otherwise they will certainly be sued at next Court, there being absolute Necessity for so doing to pay the Legacies of that Estate DAVID HEXT.
JOHN M'CALL.